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THE NEW YORK STATE COLLEGE OF FORESTRY
AT SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

February 25, 1920.

Pres. R. A. Falconer,
University of Toronto,
Toronto, Canada.

My dear President Falconer:

The New York State College of Forestry is making an effort to harmonize its curriculum with the growing needs of the profession of Forestry. The attached questionnaire has been prepared for submission to the leading Forest, Agricultural and Scientific Schools, Colleges, and Universities in the United States and Canada, in an effort to obtain the benefit of their several judgments for the outline of the strongest possible curriculum in Forestry and its allied sciences, for both undergraduate and graduate instruction.

Part 2 of this questionnaire deals with such administrative matters as sabbatical years, remuneration, opportunities for consulting work in addition to regular instructional or investigative duties, etc., questions which are of primary importance to all men engaged in professional, educational work.

Should adequate replies to this questionnaire be received such as will enable us to prepare a comprehensive digest of the opinions of the segeral institutions to which we are sending it, we will endeavor to send a copy of such a digest to all who have co-operated with us in this matter.

It is realized that this questionnaire is langthy, but it is felt that these are matters of sufficient importance to warrant a request for detailed information. Many of the questions, moreover, can be answered by "yes" or "no".

Your cooperation in this matter is urgently requested.

Very truly yours,

Hugh P. Baker

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Enclosure not found

March 11th, 1920

Dean Hugh P. Baker,
The New York State College of Forestry,
Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by the President to send you the answers to your questionnaire sent to us with your letter of February 25th.

Yours sincerely,

President's Secretary.

Q U E S T I O N N A I R E

Part 1

3Aa - Foresters
3Bb - Special Science

4 - 2 hours

5a - 3 hours
5b - 4 hours

6 -
Degrees: B.Sc.F.; F.E. (post graduate)
6a - 960 hours
6b - 750 hours

7 - Not in Forestry

8 - None in Forestry

9 - Answered in 7 & 8

10 - Logging Engineering - Silviculture - Forest Pathology

11 - 800 hours

11a - Beginning of Third Year and middle of Fourth Year
11b - No credit hours, but obligatory
11c - Required

12c3 - Paper and pulp
12h - Dominion Forestry Branch
12i - Provincial Forest Services

13a - 47 regular forestry students

Part 2

1 -
2a - By state funds

3 - By arrangement, no standard

4 - Encouraged

5 - Yes

6 - Yes

7 - Given the whole vacation

8 -

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